

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Carl K. Esche, Jr. et al.

Application No.: 10/779,970

Filed: February 17, 2004

For: LUBRICANT AND FUEL
ADDITIVES DERIVED FROM TREATED
AMINES



Group Art Unit: unassigned

Examiner: unassigned

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. § 116
AND UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 116 and under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a), Applicants respectfully request that the inventorship be changed to add John T. Loper. Enclosed with this Request are copies of: (1) a statement from each person being added as an inventor; (2) an oath and declaration by the inventors; (3) the processing fee as set forth in § 1.17(i); and (4) the written consent of the assignee.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this response, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any related fees to our Deposit Account No. 05-1372.

Respectfully submitted,

By:

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Counsel for Assignee

Dated: September 14, 2004



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WRITTEN CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE

The undersigned, a representative authorized to sign on behalf of the assignee owning all of the interest in this patent, hereby consents to the addition of John T. Loper as a person being named as an inventor for the above-identified application. The undersigned verifies that AFTON CHEMICAL CORPORATION is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patent application identified.

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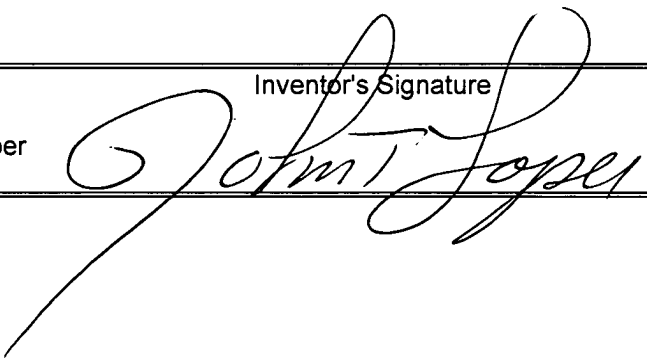
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STATEMENT BY PERSON BEING ADDED AS AN INVENTOR
FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. § 116
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I, as a person being added as an inventor for the above-identified application, declare that my omission as an inventor was an error that occurred without deceptive intent on my part.

Full Name	Inventor's Signature	Date
John T. Loper		9/14/04